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Brown invites Sultan to U.S.

AMMAN, Feb. 12 (SPA)—U.S. Secretary of Defense Harold Brown arrived here Monday after a three-day official visit to the Kingdom.

The Saudi Press Agency said Brown and Prince Sultan, minister of defense held talks on U.S.-Saudi relations. The talks dealt with issues of common interest in preparation for the forthcoming visit of Crown Prince Fahd to the United States next month, it added.

Brown invited Prince Sultan to visit the United States. Prince Sultan accepted the invitation at a date to be fixed for later.

A statement issued after Brown's visit said the American secretary of defence toured several development projects and attended a display by a squadron of Saudi I-5 aircraft.

"A friendly atmosphere pre-



vailed at the talks" as the two ministers reviewed the close Saudi-American relations, the statement said.

Brown is scheduled to meet King Hussein of Jordan later Monday.

After his talks here, Brown will proceed to Israel, then to Egypt.

Speaking at a luncheon before he flew to Dhahran from Riyadh, Brown said the U.S. if firmly committed to the security of the Kingdom "and

Brown stressed the need for coordination in security matters adding that his government would try to abort Soviet attempts to foment conflicts in the region.

Brown and Crown Prince Fahd had also discussed general preparation for Fahd's visit to the White House next month during their Riyadh talks over the weekend.

A Pentagon official, asked to elaborate what U.S. President Carter was referring to specifically in his offer of closer consultations replied: "Like this visit, for instance," according to Reuter.

The United States, he added, envisaged periodic meetings between the two nations at defense ministerial level.

"We are threatened again today, before we become strong and complete our march" by the currents of disunity, by partisanship in sects and politics that are tearing us apart and aborting our national interests, making us the target of various forms of domination and a new imperialism," the bearded monarch said. He did not elaborate.

Tito visited Kuwait, Iraq and Syria before arriving here Sunday, a main purpose of his tour was to line up support for his campaign to keep the developing world from drifting into big power alignments.

On Sunday King Hussein warned in an apparent reference to the Iranian turmoil,

Sultan, Hamad view relations

BAHRAYN, Feb. 12 (Agencies) — Bahrain's heir apparent, and Defense Minister Sheikh Hamad bin Isa al-Khalifa returned here Monday after talks with Defense and Aviation Minister Prince Hamad bin Abdul Aziz in Dhahran.

The Saudi Press Agency said the two ministers discussed Saudi-Bahraini brotherly relations during a luncheon in honor of Sheikh Hamad.

Secretary of State Cyrus Vance will be host for the talks at the snow-capped Ca-

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Carter supports Bazargan

New government in firm control

WASHINGTON, Feb. 12 (AP) — President Jimmy Carter said Monday night that the United States is "ready to work with" the new government of Iran and that the U.S. government has been in contact with it.

Carter spoke at a press conference just hours after Mehdi Bazargan moved into the Prime Minister's office in Tehran and his new revolutionary government said it was having trouble controlling some of its supporters.

Three generals loyal to the Shah were reported killed. Ayatollah Khomeini appealed to his victorious followers for order and the surrender of thousands of looted weapons.

At his press conference in Washington, Carter said the United States' objective, "has been a stable and independent Iran which maintains good relations with America."

He said he hoped, "the differences that have divided the people of Iran for so many months have ended."

Khomeini's 14-year fight to convert Iran from a monarchy to an Islamic republic succeeded Sunday after two days of bloody street fighting in Tehran. The turning point came when the armed forces chief of staff ordered all troops back to their barracks and declared his support for the 78-year-old Muslim leader's revolution.

With the army no longer behind him, Prime Minister Shapour Bakhtiar was reportedly to have delivered his resignation to Bazargan. Khomeini's nominee to head a provisional government, Bakhtiar dropped out of sight, though one highly placed source said he was under guard for his own protection.

Bazargan moved into Bakhtiar's vacated office Monday and immediately appointed a dismissed army intelligence chief as armed forces chief of staff.

He named Maj. Gen. Muhammad Vahid Gharani, dismissed during the late 1950s as chief of staff to replace Gen. Abbas Gharabgahi, who was appointed by the Shah and whose declaration of neutrality Sunday marked the end of the Iranian monarchy.

Bazargan's government was immediately recognized by Libya, Syria and Sudan, but except for Carter, the Western powers which had supported the Shah and Bakhtiar's 38-day government held off on declaring their recognition for the new government.

With the negotiations deadlocked over the Palestinian and other issues, Carter has suggested that unless a treaty is quickly completed, U.S. diplomatic efforts will shift to other world trouble spots. This could mean tossing the conflict into the lap of the United Nations or trying to set up a broader peace conference involving Arab countries.

Kuwait said the changes occurring in Iran are a purely domestic affair which concern only the friendly people of Iran."

TAKOVER: A rebel holds Iranian bread in one hand and his weapon in the other as he walks in the lobby of the Hilton Hotel in Tehran Monday after the insurgents took over the building to convert it to a hospital. — (AP wirephoto)

And Syrian President Hafez Asad sent a telegram of congratulations to Khomeini and pledged his country's support for the new government.

"We in Syria affirm our support and backing for the new regime that emerged from the revolution in Iran and adopted the principles of great Islam," Asad's cable said.

In the fighting which preceded the change of power, more than 200 persons were reportedly killed in Tehran, 150 in the northeastern city of Tabriz and 44 in the southern city of Shiraz.

Khomeini condemned "arson, destruction and cruelty" and said those indulging in such "savage acts" were "disobeying God's orders and are traitors to the Islamic movement."

The "Provisional Operation Staff of the Revolution" in a broadcast on Radio Tehran said, "all Iranian armed forces have laid down their arms and declared their total solidarity with the revolution. There is not the slightest resistance by the armed forces."

Meanwhile, the new government armed guerrillas rushed to threatened sites all over the capital, trying to maintain order.

They took up positions around the 13-story Intercontinental Hotel, headquarters of most of the Western press, to protect it from a crowd

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Iran: Old order ends, new one begins

By R.W. Apple Jr.
New York Times
News Service

LONDON — The end of the old order in Iran came with incredible swiftness: only 13 months after the first tentative uprisings in the holy city of Qom and Meshad, less than a month after the flight of Shah Muhammad Reza Pahlavi, scarcely 10 days after the triumphant return of Ayatollah Ruhollah Khomeini from exile in France.

It came because, in the final analysis, no significant element of Iranian society — not the villagers, not the bureaucrats, not the merchants, not even the armed forces — was immune to the almost messianic power of the Ayatollah's Islamic nationalist drive. He broke the discipline of most of the soldiers and many of their officers, who ultimately refused to kill and be killed for abstractions called "constitutionalism" and "legitimacy."

So pervasive was the hatred of the Shah among the masses that he was able to hold power only through repression. When he finally eased his iron grip, it was already too late for gradualism to stand a chance. In retrospect, it is clear that Khomeini won the day the monarch flew into exile.

Two airliners crash in America, Rhodesia

Associated Press

Airliners crashed in the United States and Rhodesia Monday, police reported, and fatalities were reported in both cases.

A Rhodesian airliner with 54 persons on board crashed five minutes after takeoff from the northwestern resort of Kariba, and airline officials said they were afraid nations' last guerrillas had shot down the craft. All 54 were reported killed.

And at Benedum Airport near Clarksburg, West Virginia, an Allegheny Airlines Commuter plane crashed, killing some of its passengers. The plane was taking off from the small airport on a trip to National Airport in Washington D.C.

Further details of the West Virginia crash were not immediately available, said a spokesman for the Federal Aviation Administration.

The Western veneer cracked everywhere as Iran reverted to its avast past, to what it always had been beneath the overlay of expressways and high-rise office buildings and tanks and helicopters — a deeply religious nation, profoundly suspicious of outsiders.

Shapour Bakhtiar — a brave and honest man, who fought Franco in Spain, the Nazis in France and the Shah at home — was simply swept away by the torrent of revolution. Except for the extremists, few Iranians considered him evil; they considered him and his continental social democratic ideals irrelevant to the "new" Iran.

At a news conference two weeks ago, he denied with a wry smile that he was this country's Kerevsky, but that is what he was.

For those who hope for a relatively democratic if intensely Islamic government in Iran, the key figure is Mehdi Bazargan, the de facto premier. Trained in France like his predecessor, he has sought throughout a long political career to reconcile the Koran with liberty and justice, and he is thought to be the most moderate voice in the inner circle of the Ayatollah's entourage.

In the past, the Ayatollah's orders have been disseminated rapidly and followed to the letter. But some analysts fear that in their appetite for power, some of the elements in the coalition assembled by the Ayatollah may now begin to squabble. If so, a period of instability or even violence cannot be ruled out.

Even if the transition is relatively smooth, the triumph of the Ayatollah has pronounced implications for the United States and its allies. Every pronouncement to date by the elderly Muslim sage has suggested that he intends to follow a nonaligned foreign policy, which would deprive the West of an important strategic bastion along the southern flank of the Soviet Union and along the northern shore of the Gulf.

Nor is there any short-term prospect of a return to Iranian

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Fruit 13,345

Poultry 1,397

Meat —

Eggs 250

Sub-Total for Foodstuff. 146,226

2. CONSTRUCTION MATERIALS

Cement 116,916

Steel 19,099

Timber 4,181

General Building Materials 79,827

Sub-Total for Construction Materials: 220,023

3. VEHICLES

Vehicles in number 4,079

Vehicles in Tons 52,857

4. LIVESTOCK

Number of Head 10,747

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91,479

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(A) 520,585 TonsCargo

(B) 4,079 Vehicles in Numbers

(C) 10,747 Head of Livestock

Under Mansouri**Transport board mulls management services**

RIYADH, Feb. 12 — Management services required from the foreign firm contracted to run the Saudi Arabian public Transport Company (SAPCO) have been worked out, Communications Minister Sheikh Hussein A. Mansouri said here Monday.

Speaking to reporters after chairing a meeting of the company's board Sunday morning, the minister said procedures for the appraisal of bids for the management services contract were also discussed.

The board also approved the floating of a share issue for public subscription. A meeting of the Council of Ministers on Jan. 29 approved public subscription for 40 per cent of the new company's SR 1 billion capital.

The board also reviewed measures so far taken for

Police to patrol beats on foot in 5 Riyadh areas

JEDDAH, Feb. 12 — New police units started patrolling on foot five areas of Riyadh Sunday at the instructions of Governor Prince Salman "Al-Jazirah" newspaper reported Monday.

The paper quoted Capt. Ibrahim Al-Otaibi, director of wireless patrols and traffic squads as saying that the newly created patrols would assist in congested areas and areas where patrol vehicles cannot find access.

The main task of these patrols will be to maintain law and order, to settle petty disputes and to assist the Ministry of Commerce in monitoring prices, Otaibi said. More patrols will be created to cover as much of the capital as possible.

The patrols have been selected from among graduates of a recent security course, and have been posted to Deira, Baha, Thumrait, Malaz and the banking quarter, Otaibi said.



INFORMATION: Visiting North Yemeni Information Minister Dr. Basendowa, center, at talks with Saudi Minister Dr. Mansouri in Riyadh Monday.

Dr. Yamani tells minister**Kingdom will fund N.Yemen**

RIYADH, Feb. 12 (SPA) — Yemen, Minister Muhammad Abdo Yamani met Monday at the offices of the Saudi Minister of Information Dr. Salem Basendowa, center, at talks with Saudi Minister Dr. Mansouri in Riyadh Monday.

Mansouri said later he discussed the participation of Australian consultants and engineers in the preparation of studies for Saudi transport systems and Australian suppliers of equipment and materials for the construction of railroads.

The talks also dealt with a possible participation by Australian consultants in the building of roads and bridges and the development of transport to the Kingdom, Mansouri said. Further talks will be held within the coming months he said.

Anthony, who also met Agriculture and Water Minister Dr. Abdul Rahman Al-Sheikh Monday for talks on arid-land cultivation, arid-groundwater exploration, arrived in the Kingdom Friday for a five-day visit.

Bridges

RIYADH, Feb. 12 — Riyadh Municipality is planning to complete 16 pedestrian bridges to cross the capital's most congested streets, "Al-Riyadh" reported Monday.

Two are already under construction. Work on the remainder will start within two months, a municipal official said.

RIYADH, Feb. 12 (SPA) — Minister of Industry and Electricity Dr. Ghazi Algosaibi conferred here Monday morning with Quebec's visiting Energy minister on Canadian participation in rural electrification schemes including the work of a Canadian firm installing power for 400 villages in Qasim. The Canadian minister also held talks Monday with Planning Minister Sheikh Hisham Nazer.

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Ambassador Zahedi leaves Washington

Iran's U.S. mission supports Khomeini

WASHINGTON, Feb. 12 (R) — Portraits of Ayatollah Ruhollah Khomeini adorned the walls of the opulent Iranian Embassy Monday after supporters tore down pictures of the Shah amid scenes of jubilation and celebration.

Led by 12 diplomats who went on strike 27 days ago in protest against the Shah and his long-time supporter and ambassador here, Ardeshir Zahedi, supporters of the Ayatollah took over the embassy peacefully Sunday from six military attaches and armed guards who had been in control.

The takeover was the latest in a bizarre, often bewildering series of events at the embassy as supporters and opponents of the Shah have jockeyed for control of the ornate building on Massachusetts Avenue, Washington's "Embassy Row."



The Shah



Shahpour Bakhtiar

Monday 12 diplomats who had been on strike and five others dismissed last week by Zahedi — including acting Charge d'Affaires Assad Homayoun — were awaiting word from Tehran on the latest situation and instructions about their future.

Zahedi, a former son-in-law

of the Shah, left the country three days ago, probably for Switzerland, Homayoun said.

Homayoun said communications with Tehran were bad but he hoped to be in touch as soon as possible.

He said the military attaches and the security guards, who took over the embassy nearly

two weeks ago in a dispute arising from removal of the Shah's portrait on instructions from the Foreign Ministry in Tehran, had surrendered their guns and left the embassy when asked.

In a separate interview, Minister Counsellor Jafar Faghih, who ranked third behind Zahedi and Homayoun, said he and other diplomats led the "assault" on the embassy that ousted the attachés.

And in Peking, two Iranian diplomats Monday pinned a large color portrait of the Shah with "CIA" scrawled across his forehead onto "Democracy Wall."

They also put three posters attacking American imperialism and supporting Khomeini onto the wall where China's free speech campaign has been waged.

But Iranian Ambassador Mahmoud Esfandyari said "we don't know anything at the embassy about it."

In Cairo, Ambassador Abbas Nayeri, who only last month received the Shah when he fled to Egypt, said Monday he had sent a cable pledging support to the new revolutionary government.

He said that the 20 diplomats in the heavily guarded embassy in Cairo were "awaiting instructions from the new government."

The charges were made by the acting Egyptian foreign minister, Boutros Ghali, in a letter to the commission. The text of the note was released in Cairo Saturday.

The 31-nation commission has a progress report on Israeli practices in the territories at the fourth item on its agenda and has been told by the U.N. General Assembly to treat the question as "a matter of urgency," van Boven said.

Somali sources here said the Somali Salvation Front was established when a former opposition group, which relied



MARJAYOUN: Maj. Saad Ezzeddine (center), with members of his rightist militia by Sherman medium tanks at his south Lebanon headquarters. Sunday U.N. official Brian Urquhart arrived in Beirut for talks on the restoration of Lebanese government authority in the region. (AP photo)

Heikal scorns separate peace

BONN, Feb. 12 (R) — Prominent Egyptian journalist and former presidential aide Muhammad Heikal says Egypt would gain "nothing but (President) Carter's prayers" from a separate peace agreement with Israel.

Heikal, a critic of President Anwar Sadat's peace initiative, told the West German weekly magazine "Der Spiegel" Egypt would lose its leading role in the Arab world if it made a separate peace.

The 55-year-old former editor-in-chief of the influential daily "Al Ahram" was dismissed from his post by Sadat in 1974. He was a close aide of the late President Gamal Abdul Nasser.

In the interview, recorded in London, Heikal said peace in the Middle East was further away now than ever before because the United States had regained a monopoly position in the negotiations.

"The Middle East question must neither be monopolized by the U.S. nor by the Soviet Union," he said.

On the prospects of future economic and technological cooperation between Israel and Egypt, Heikal said he believed that Israel wanted to use Egypt as the gate to Arab money and cheap Arab labor.

Demonstration in Moscow

Chadli asks mercy for Bhutto

ALGIERS, Feb. 12 (R) — The new Algerian President Benjedid Chadli has appealed to his Pakistani counterpart General Zia Ul-Haq for mercy in the innocent execution of Zulfikar Ali Bhutto, former prime minister.

"Such a decision would give your country a new dimension of stature, wisdom and tolerance," said Chadli in his message, published Monday in the Algerian press.

In Moscow, some 15 to 20 Pakistani students demonstrated outside their embassy Monday calling for the release of Bhutto, a source in the building said.

The signs the students carried read "Martial Law No Democracy Yes" and "Release Bhutto."

Extra Soviet police could be seen outside the embassy but made no effort to interfere with the demonstrators, the source said.

On Friday, Tass reported that President Brezhnev had appealed to Zia to "preserve the life" of Bhutto.

Later the leaders of the demonstration were allowed inside to meet with Ambassador Yaqub Khan and presented him with a petition saying the death sentence against Bhutto was an injustice and against all human values.

An official said the students, who later dispersed, all came from Patrice Lumumba University and were not part of any official Soviet-Pakistan student exchange program.

And China Sunday appealed to Pakistan to spare Bhutto an old friend.

The appeal was made by Communist Party Chairman

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China, Vietnam exchange threats on border fighting

PEKING Feb. 12 (Agencies) — China and Vietnam have reported several fresh clashes along their border with nearly 100 killed or wounded in the past few weeks.

Both sides blamed each other over the weekend for the incidents and China warned Vietnam not to turn a deaf ear to what Peking had to say on the situation.

Vietnam has called on the United Nations to examine "the grave situation" on the frontier.

NATO mission secretary reported arrested as spy

BONN, Feb. 12 (R)—A woman secretary at West Germany's Embassy of the NATO alliance in Brussels has been arrested on suspicion of spying for East Germany, the weekly news magazine "Der Spiegel" said Sunday.

The report said the 38-year-old blonde, Ingrid Garbe, was arrested last weekend. She worked in the embassy's Political Department and had access to top secret documents.

The documents passed on by Mrs. Garbe dealt chiefly with the Vienna East-West disarmament talks and negotiations between the United States and the Soviet Union on a limitation of strategic arms, "Der Spiegel" said.

The Foreign Ministry in Bonn, where Mrs. Garbe had been employed since 1971, declined to comment on the report.

But an official said the ministry would release an official statement Tuesday. The Federal Prosecutor's office in Karlsruhe was not immediately available for comment.

"Der Spiegel" said Mrs. Garbe was posted to Brussels in March, 1976. A year before, she had been approached by an East German agent.

Each country accused the other of escalating tension and moving forces into the region.

China said Vietnam was "carrying on war mobilization" and that Hanoi's forces had been put on a state of high combat-readiness.

China also spoke of the "grave situation now arising" on the frontier and Vice-Premier Li Hsien-nien joined other Chinese leaders in warning Vietnam.

Vietnam has charged that Peking recently deployed "20

divisions, hundreds of fighter planes, numerous tanks and other war materials close to the China-Vietnam border" in a cable to the U.N.

Neither side has given a complete figure in border incidents, but both say they have suffered many casualties.

China's Hsinhua news agency reported Sunday that five Chinese guards were killed, 12 others wounded and one Vietnamese shot dead in Vietnamese "provocations" in Chinese border areas Feb. 6-10.

Hanoi claims the Chinese have staged about 60 border incidents during this month.

The Voice of Vietnam Monday claimed that hundreds of Chinese troops crossed the border at Cao Lan Village in Vietnam's Lang Son Province, digging trenches and building gun emplacements about 200 meters inside Vietnamese territory.

The broadcast said some of the Chinese intruders penetrated as deep as 600 meters, felling trees to build a road, laying mines and building trenches and other fortifications in the area of Bao Loc village in the same province.



LONDON: Garbage uncollected during strikes by municipal workers in the center of the city. Monday the public employees threatened to escalate their action after local authorities ordered private contractors to move the mountains of trash. (AP photo)

Out of control

Fire ravages Indiana refinery

WHITTING, Ind. Feb. 12 (AP) — A mammoth fire punctuated by thundering explosions raged through a Standard Oil Co. refinery early Monday morning, forcing the evacuation of more than 1,000 nearby residents, police said.

Communications at the refinery were cut off by a power failure, but no injuries were immediately reported in this town of 7,500 just across the Illinois-Indiana border from Chicago.

The blaze is still out of control," a Whiting Fire Department official said early Monday. "There have been six explosions out there so far."

The blaze was traveling through pipelines and in storage areas, as flames shot more than 100 feet into the air, he said.

"We had to evacuate about

six blocks near the refinery. The people are being taken to the Whiting Community Center," Whiting police said.

The blaze began after the explosion of a high-octane gasoline converter, called an atomizer unit, the fire official said.

Some 100 firefighters from Whiting and surrounding municipalities were standing by outside the refinery in case the fire spread beyond the confines of the plant.

Growth or decline unsure

Polar bear populace puzzles pundits

WASHINGTON, Feb. 12 (AP) — Biologists are unsure if legal protections given polar bears have resulted in population increases, says a United States government biologist.

Once thought to be declining in numbers, polar bears were given legal protection by the United States, Norway and the Soviet Union.

But international researchers cannot agree on whether polar bear populations have increased or are declining, says Doug Demaster.

But Demaster claims biologists agree that more bears can be killed without endangering the species. Subsistence hunters such as Eskimos value the bear for its pelt and meat. Sportsmen consider the bear a trophy.

The United States stopped sport hunting of polar bears in 1972. Norway imposed a five-



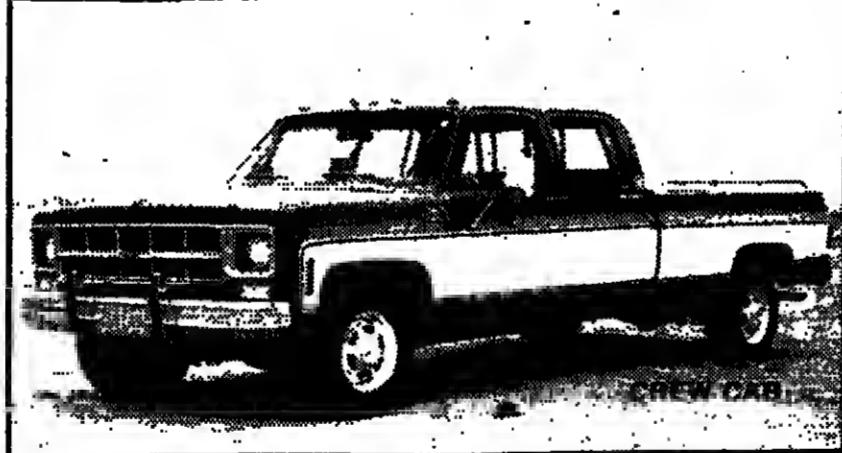
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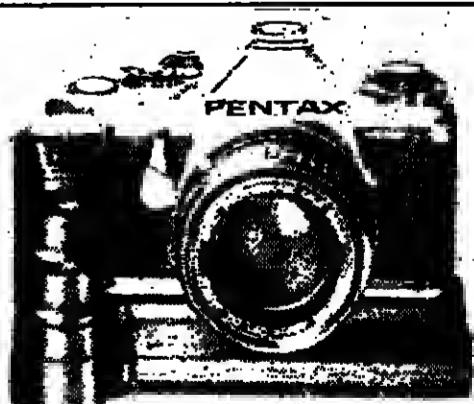
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Disastrous batting leaves Australia struggling again

SYDNEY, Australia, Feb. 12 (AP) — Another appalling batting display put Australia on the canvas after the third day of the sixth Test against England Monday.

At Stumps in its second innings Australia had slumped to 70 for five and still needed to add another 40 runs to make England bat again.

The not out batsmen are first Innings century-maker and captain Graham Yallop (13) and off-spinner Bruce Yardley (16).

Yallop said the wicket was like a minefield and was playing more like a fifth day wicket than a third day one.

The sight of Yallop hunched with his head between his hands whenever score was 48 for five summed up just how much notice his batsmen must have taken of the stern talk he said he gave them before the innings.

Test newcomer Andrew Hilditch was the first to fall from a highly controversial catch by keeper Bob Taylor of Mike Hendrick's bowling

for one.

The ball appeared to drop just short of Taylor and Hilditch was upset when given out.

Kim Hughes was out for seven when he got a popping delivery from John Emburey and the ball flew to Graham Gooch. Then Graham Wood, who was going along merrily on 29, went for a big hit off

Walker outruns unrested Bayi

MONTREAL, Feb. 12 (R) — New Zealand's John Walker ran a steady race against an all-star field including Tanzania's Albert Bayi to win the featured one-mile event in three minutes, 56.8 seconds on an indoor athletics meet here Sunday night.

Bayi, who arrived here late Saturday night and looked it finished fast, one-half lap behind Walker, the Olympic 1,500-meter champion, was well off the world mark of 3:54.9.

Emburey finished with the excellent figures of three for three for 26 off 13 overs and Miller had one for 16 off 12 overs.

In the morning, Australia was able to claim six wickets while conceding only 94 runs.

Jim Higgins, who appears to be improving with every Test scored four for 69 off 30 overs including eight maidens.

He was given able assistance by paceman Alan Burns who took three for 58 off 20 overs.

Yardley proved expensive taking two wickets but at a cost of 105 off 25 overs.

David Gower, the talented England batsman, ended up with 65 after being 47 not out overnight. He was finally out when he got an edge to a tearing delivery from Higgins and was caught behind.

Bob Taylor, followed on his good form from the fifth Test by spending 162 minutes at the wicket to be 36 not out at the end.



GLOOM: A gloomy Graham Yallop gives the ball to paceman Rodney Hogg, who ended the day with 42 for one. Australia did well to England to 94 runs Monday morning—but once again the side's fragile batting let it down.

Racer busts Daytona mark, then wins 200 mph sprint

DAYTONA BEACH, Florida, Feb. 12 (AP) — Buddy Baker put on an awesome display of power and skill Sunday, obliterating the track record in qualifying for next week's Daytona 500, and then winning a 200 mph dash with Darrell Waltrip in the \$30,000 Busch Clash of '79.

Baker, for years the hard luck king of Daytona International Speedway, held Waltrip at bay the final five laps and protected a half-car length

victory margin to the finish line.

The average for the 50-mile sprint was a stunning 194.384 mph, but most of the lap times flirted with the 200 mph barrier. It was by far the fastest stock car race in history.

Waltrip took the lead from position starter Benny Parsons at the start of the nine-driver race, comprising the pole position winners from the 30 Grand National stock car races in 1978.

But Baker glided past going into the second turn on the second lap and stayed there — except for the 15th of 20 circuits, when Waltrip put the nose of his car briefly in front.

Earlier Baker shook up the competition with an effort of 196.049 mph that broke a 10-year-old track record and netted him the pole position for the world's most prestigious stock car race, the Daytona 500 next Sunday.

Leading placings:

1. Beveren (25-19). 2. Andechs (25-19). 3. Lokeren (23-19). 4. Bruges (23-19).

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Tour wrangle settled

Borg slams Connors for 3rd year

BOCA WEST, Florida, Feb. 12 (R) — Sweden's Bjorn Borg sliced winners from the baseline past the net-rushing Jimmy Connors, Sunday won the \$300,000 Grand Slam Tennis Tournament, 6-2, 6-3.

The victory by the 22-year-old Swedish champion, winner of last year's Wimbledon and French championships, earned him \$150,000 in prize money. It was the third consecutive time he has beaten Connors in the finals of this event, which brings together the winners of the four most prestigious tournaments on the international tennis circuit.

In the consolation battle, John McEnroe, who lost to Connors on Friday, beat Argentina's Guillermo Vilas, who lost Saturday to Borg 6-4, 6-2.

Borg quickly took control of Sunday's match, breaking Connors' serve in the third game of the first set. He then held on to his serve and eventually took the set, 6-2.

Down 1-4 in the second set,

Connors staged a brief rally when he put together a string of punishing volleys to break Borg's serve for the first time in the match in the sixth game and then survived a break point in the next game to narrow the gap to 3-4.

In the crucial eighth game,

the score went to deuce three times before Borg finally prevailed, pulling ahead with a spectacular backhand volley

and then sealing the verdict with a forehand passing shot.

Earlier Sunday, Connors,

Borg, McEnroe, and Vilas

reached agreement Sunday

with the Men's International Professional Council to ensure their participation in this year's Grand Prix tour.

The players had threatened to boycott the Grand Prix tournaments because they were angered over new rules that designated them to play in six tournaments, including low-prize money events, and limiting the number of lucrative exhibition tournaments they could play.

The revised rules agreed Sunday allow the players to veto one of the six designated tournaments. The number of

allowed exhibitions that can be played is raised from three to six.

Event wise 1st. Meanwhile in Seattle, Washington, top-seeded Chris Evert, who seemed content to

hammer returns from the baseline for most of the match, concluded Renee Richards 6-1, 3-6, 6-3 Sunday to win her first tournament of the year on the women's professional circuit.

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Bakhtiar's fall triggers dollar decline; gold rises

LONDON, Feb. 12 (AP) — The fall of the Bakhtiar government in Iran pushed the dollar lower against European currencies Monday.

As the dollar slipped the price of gold rose, going up in London by nearly \$7 an ounce to \$249.60 and approaching the record closing high of \$250.50 reached last Wednesday.

In Zurich, the major European trading center for bullion, gold stood at \$250 an ounce, up \$3 from Friday's closing \$247. The price rose steadily as soon as the market got under way, starting at 247.375.

Early dollar exchange rates compared with Friday's late rates:

Frankfurt — 1.8412 West German marks, down from 1.85.

Zurich — 1.6577 Swiss francs, down from 1.6625.

Paris — 4.2323 French francs, down from 4.24475.

Amsterdam — 1.98865 Dutch guilders, down from 1.999.

Milan — 832.75 Italian lire, down from 834.025.

In London one British pound cost \$2.0110, nearly one cent more expensive than on Friday.

Currency trading was closed in Tokyo for a national holiday.

In London, British dealers said the pound buoyed by North Sea oil and government

refusal to concede massive pay claims — held up well against other currencies. They said the dollar would be the currency most vulnerable to the upheaval in Iran, the world's second biggest oil exporter.

However, dealers added activity in the Foreign Exchange Market was "not much greater than usual." On the Stock Market, oil shares were the most active, with prices fluctuating.

French president facing acute industrial crisis

PARIS, Feb. 12 (R) — French President Valery Giscard d'Estaing flew back to France from Africa Sunday to face an increasingly violent industrial crisis.

Last Friday while Giscard was visiting Cameroun, anger at unemployment triggered clashes in places such as in Lorraine in the northeast.

Steel industry workers — are refusing to accept government plans to cut the work force by more than 20,000 by the end of 1980 — staged the most dramatic protest on Friday.

In Lorraine, which produces 42 per cent of the country's steel, a commando hijacked goods train near Longwy and spilled its 1,500-ton cargo of iron ore onto the main Paris-Luxembourg railway line.

A few hours later 2,500 steelworkers from the Lille region drove to Paris in a fleet of hired coaches and blocked much-hour traffic on the capital's orbital road.

Later the protesters clashed violently with riot police as they tried to use their coaches to block the Paris-Lille motorway. Thirty-five policemen were reported injured.

The ports of Rochefort, La Rochelle and Nantes were shut down by strikers. In Brittany firemen demanding better pay occupied government offices in Lorient and Carnac.

Of all the sectors of industry hit by the current crisis — unemployment is officially put at about 1.3 million — the steels are the most militant and the most determined to survive.

The French steel industry which lost six billion francs (\$1.4 billion) in 1977, suffers from low productivity and falling demand.

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Opening Monday	SAMA	Cash	Transfer
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Pound Sterling	6.73	6.80	6.80
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Swiss F	2.03 (100)	209.00	203.00
French F	0.79 (100)	79.50	79.50
Italian Lira (100)	—	4.00	4.05
Lebanese Lira (100)	—	108.50	107.25
Syrian Lira (100)	—	80.00	86.65
Egyptian Pound	—	4.55	4.82
Kuwaiti Dinar	—	12.32	12.32
Jordanian Dinar	—	11.35	11.35
Emirates Dirham (100)	—	87.00	87.80
Qatar Riyal (100)	—	87.00	87.80
Bahraini Dinar	—	8.70	8.70
Iranian Riyal (100)	—	—	46.50
Iraqi Dinar	—	9.40	—
Yemeni Riyal (100)	—	—	74.00
Moroccan Dirham (100)	—	79.00	88.25
Indian Rupee (100)	—	—	41.25
Pakistani Rupee (100)	—	—	34.30
Gold kg	—	26,700	—
10 Tolas bar	—	3,150	—
Silver kg bar	—	700	—
Japanese yen (100)	1.69	—	—
Canadian dollar	2.81	—	—
Belgian franc (10)	1.15	—	—
Dutch guilder	1.68	—	—
Italian Lira (100)	0.40	—	—

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International

Recently discovered buildup

N. Korean army outnumbers Seoul's

SEOUL, Feb. 12 (AP)—North Korea's army is now known to be larger and better equipped than South Korea's removing the last major military advantage Seoul thought it had over the north.

But military sources here do not feel the new information revealed after a recent reassessment of the communist army by U.S. intelligence, unduly changes the situation on the peninsula. They point out that it is not a new buildup, but one accomplished earlier and only just discovered. Also, as the top military officer in South Korea, Gen. John W. Vessey, put it in a recent interview, "Neither we nor the South Koreans have to match North Korea tank for tank, gun for gun, airplane for airplane. We have to have an aggregate a force that can defeat North Korea" if it attacks.

It has been known for some

time that the North has a much larger air force and navy than the South, and its army is more heavily armed with tanks and armored vehicles. But until the new reassessment, revealed last month, it was thought the South had a larger active army—560,000 sol-

diers to the communists' 500,000.

Vessey, who heads the U.N. Command and all U.S. services in Korea says preliminary reports on the reassessment put the North's army 25 to 30 per cent larger than thought.

The North's 600,000-man ar-

my (revised from about 500,000) is organized in 40 combat divisions instead of 28, according to the new intelligence. They also have 2,500 tanks instead of the 1,950 thought, compared to the South's 840.

"(But) it isn't tank country," Vessey said. "It's rugged, mountains. The defender has a definite advantage against tanks."

Adding to the already heavy anti-tank defenses along the southern side of the Demilitarized Zone is a 15-to-20-foot high wall, now under construction, to block possible invasion attempts. The South Koreans will not comment on the wall, but it is known to be faced with concrete and filled with earth and rocks about 20 feet thick.

A host of the communists' weapons are Russian-design, Chinese manufacture, although Pyongyang does manufacture its own tanks, small arms, artillery and rocket launchers, among other things.

It does not make airplanes and "probably not" sophisticated electronics, nor does Seoul.

North Korea rapidly boosted the number of tanks, armored personnel carriers and artillery between 1972 and 1977, building its forces as much as 50 per cent in five years. There have been no reports of a continued sharp build-up last year or this year.

Pyongyang's air force decisively outweighs Seoul's although the planes are older models. The North has 570 jet fighters, including 100 MiG-21s.

And it is the highest level of support since the question was first asked in 1976.

This month, 14 per cent opposed a new pact and 5 per cent said it would increase the United States' status in the world. Another 5 per cent were not sure.

In tandem with the rise in support for a new treaty, the public increasingly sees a SALT pact as strengthening U.S. security, not lessening it, as critics say.

Experts converge for study

Two more fall to Naples disease

NAPLES, Feb. 12 (AP)—Two more babies died Sunday of the so-called "mystery disease" that has now claimed the lives of at least 63 youngsters in Naples since it was first detected a year ago.

Officials at Santobono Hospital said the latest victims were boys aged 6 months and 11 months. Most of the children who have succumbed to the ailment have been under 18 months.

A girl of 11 months was being treated in the hospital's intensive care ward for the same symptoms — high fever and vomiting before the infant slipped into a coma.

Doctors believe the swift-striking illness is a form of viral pneumonia, most of whose victims are from this city's teeming slums.

The new deaths came on the eve of the arrival of specialists from the United States and Europe to assist their Italian colleagues in identifying the "obscure evil" and "a virus that prefers the poor."

Among those coming to Italy for consultations are two doctors from the National Institutes of Health in Bethesda, Md., and William Baine, an epidemiologist at the U.S. Center for Disease Control in Atlanta, Georgia.

Officials reported the Italian government will spend about \$120 million in emergency funds to enlarge the Naples sewer system and take other measures to try to clean up the city.

The city of 2.8 million persons has been dubbed "the Capital of Europe" for its unsanitary conditions and bouts with illness. Officials estimate that 5,000 homes have no running water and toilet facilities.

Before leaving Atlanta on Sunday, Baine said a combination of known diseases was the most likely explanation for the mystery.

view the nation's farm policy and proposed legislation, and members of the militant American Agriculture Movement are on the witness list for Wednesday and Thursday.

Thousands of farmers, dressed in blue jeans, work shirts and hoots, spent last week demonstrating in Washington, complaining that crop price supports are too low. This year, their prospects for success are considered less likely, in part because many members of Congress fear higher price supports would spur inflation.

Farmers aside, the action on Capitol Hill will be in the House of Representatives this week, as the Senate takes a nine-week recess three weeks into the congressional session.

On Tuesday, the House is expected to approve its first legislation of the session, a minor measure loosening the conditions under which the government can sell rare Carson City silver dollars.

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Good Morning
In the name of the law

By Jibril Al Khuzai

An Arab, who came to work in London some years ago, quickly discovered that England is a country of the law. He found the law is applied in full, not just given lip service. Since there are thousands of laws in England, the Arab decided to study what specifically concerned his own day-to-day life. He mastered the laws of immigration, tax and rent and a few months after moving to London was able to boast that he knew these laws better than those in the profession.

But in his early days in the country he discovered that English lawyers know the whole body of the law and found himself at a disadvantage with his knowledge only of its details.

He paid his taxes without argument until he discovered a clause overlooked by the Inland Revenue. The Arab wrote to the department, carefully quoting his tax code number, to complain that too much had been demanded of him, citing the appropriate articles. The department refunded his money promptly and apologized profusely.

Next, his landlady raised the rent and threatened with eviction when he refused to comply. He went back to the books to review the rent laws and found that she could neither raise the rent as high as she wanted nor evict him. The landlady threatened to sue him and the tenant accepted the challenge.

The landlady's lawyer advised her to drop the case because he, too, found her to be in the wrong and predicted she would not only lose the case but be saddled with court costs as well.

The tenant boasted that his victory was made possible by his assiduous study of the law books in the British Museum. He proclaimed that all laws in England serve the people.

He now makes it a point to quote the law whenever his employer asks him to do anything legally questionable. He refuses to become an employer and prefers to remain in the ranks of the workers, using his knowledge to keep the employer at bay.

translated from "Ashraq Al Awas"

Uganda says Tanzanians invading

NAIROBI, Feb. 12 (AP)—Uganda government radio said Monday Tanzanian troops using tanks and heavy artillery have pushed 50 kilometers into Uganda in one of the deepest reported penetrations of their four-month border war. A Ugandan military spokesman, believed to be President Idi Amin, was quoted as saying the situation was "very, very serious." The Uganda Broadcasting Corporation newscast, monitored in Nairobi, said fierce fighting and bombardment was continuing.

Chicago fire kills four children

CHICAGO, Feb. 12 (AP)—A fire possibly sparked by a faulty stove swept through a South Side home early Sunday, killing four sisters and a cousin as they slept, authorities said. A sixth child was missing. A 17-year-old brother and two other sisters escaped injury by jumping from a second-floor window. One firefighter was hospitalized for smoke inhalation and a back injury. He was listed in good condition.

Floods sweep across Portugal

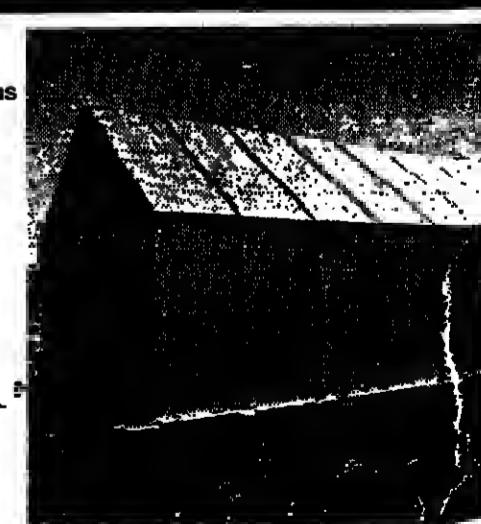
LISBON, Feb. 12 (AP)—Floods from torrential rain worsened in many parts of Portugal Sunday, damaging crops and property, isolating villages and threatening a total breakdown of national telephone links. Fire and marine rescue services were joined by air force helicopters in evacuating residents of villages near Santarem 80 kilometers (50 miles) north of Lisbon, where police described flooding from the Tagus River as "rather alarming." They said some main roads in the area were completely covered by water and appealed to motorists to stay home or use other routes.

Lightning bolt empties fish farm

MENDOZA, Argentina, Feb. 12 (AP)—A bolt of lightning struck a government-run fish farm in nearby Tunuyan, killing 11,050 trout, officials said Sunday. The fish were found dead after a thunderstorm. Zoologists said they had suffered internal bleeding and ruptured bladders, the officials reported.

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Attorney General Bell

Attorney general plans to revamp immigration laws

WASHINGTON, Feb. 12 (AP)—Attorney General Griffin Bell said Sunday he has ordered a "major overhaul" of the Immigration and Naturalization Service, saying he was "very upset" when he took his first hard look at the agency's record-keeping system.

Bell said he has ordered a Justice Department task force to begin reviewing its operations and the administration pledged to review the immigration status of foreign students in this country.

He said he discovered the INS had no idea how many Iranian students were in the United States, let alone what their current status was.

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revolution had triumphed, the palace was "part of the wealth, and riches of the nation" and should not be harmed.

Trucksloads of armed guerrillas arrived at the Hilton

Iran.

petroleum output of six million barrels a day. So far, the pinch caused by the disruption of Iranian production has not been severe, because of increased output by several other Middle Eastern producers. But those nations have made it clear that they will revert to normal production soon, and Khomeini has made it clear that Iranian oil output when it resumes will be allowed to reach only about one-half of the pre-revolutionary maximum.

For the United States itself, the outlook is cloudy. Because Washington supported Bakhtiar right to the end, not only privately but in repeated official statements, and because the United States was so completely identified with the Shah, many of the leaders of the Iranian uprising are bitterly anti-American.

In any event, neither the Ayatollah nor Bazargan is likely to remain for an extended period at the front of the Iranian stage. The Ayatollah is 78; the new prime minister is 73. Younger men are eager for major roles, and both of the old men have always seen themselves as founders, not stewards, of an Islamic republic.



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